



PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 05225.0253-00

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
Noriko MINAMINO et al. ) Group Art Unit: 2166  
Application No.: 10/717,707 ) Examiner: CHANNAVAJJALA, S. T.  
Filed: November 21, 2003 ) Confirmation No.: 8855  
For: HIERARCHICAL STRUCTURE )  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Final Office Action of January 8, 2007. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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